

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency
Washington, DC 20250

Notice DCP-85

For: State and County Offices

Deadline for Including Popcorn for DCP Base Acreage

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

A Background

Notice DCP-76 informs State and County Offices that:

- 1998 through 2001 popcorn acreage history shall be considered corn acreage for DCP corn base acre purposes
- the regulations at 7 CFR Part 1412 would be amended to include popcorn acreage
- owners have up to 30 calendar days after publication of the amended regulation to establish or revise corn base acres to include popcorn acreage.

B Purpose

This notice informs State and County Offices:

- the amended 7 CFR Part 1412 regulation to include popcorn acreage was published on June 26, 2003
- owners have **until July 28, 2003**, to establish or revise corn base acres to include popcorn acreage.

2 Action

A County Office Action

County Offices shall take all necessary actions to ensure all applicable owners are informed of the opportunity to establish or revise corn base acres to include popcorn acreage before the July 28, 2003 deadline.

Disposal Date	Distribution
December 1, 2003	State Offices; State Office relay to County Offices